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Applicant : Marc BUONOMO Confirmation No. 1554
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For : DEVICE FOR MOVING A HEAVY LOAD

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Customer Window, Mail Stop Amendment
Randolph Building
401 Dulany Street
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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of December 15, 2006, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections made therein are respectfully requested, in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Inasmuch as the three-month shortened statutory period set in the office action expired on March 15, 2007, Applicant hereby requests an extension of one (1) month, i.e., from March 15, 2007 to April 16, 2007 (April 15, 2007 being a Sunday) and is concurrently filing a formal Request for Extension of Time, together with all requisite fees therefore. If for any reason the Request for Extension of Time is not associated with the file, or the fee submitted herewith is deemed insufficient for any reason, authorization is hereby given to charge any necessary fees to deposit account No. 19-0089.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2; and

Remarks begin on page 13.

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